

# *The Country Club News*

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## **The Rountree**

The Rountree is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, October 17th and 18th. The format is two-man best ball with gross and net winners. Partners must be within 10 shots of each other. There are two levels of sponsorships; there are GOLD (\$750) and HOLE (\$100). If you are interested, please call Carl. The entry fee is \$125 for members and \$145 for non-members which includes Breakfast, Golf and Lunch on Saturday and Sunday and the opportunity to win club bucks.

## **The MGA Cup**

The MGA Cup will begin with The PGA Blitz on Saturday, August 8th. The entry fee is \$30 per person plus your golf. Everyone must tee off before 9:00 AM and with someone else that is playing.

PGA – August 8

Tour Championship - September 5

US Open – September 19

Masters – Sandy Kishton - Nov 14

Please remember that you must be a MGA (\$25.00 dues) to win any prize.

## **Thank You for Support**

We would like to thank everyone for their support of The Country Club. We ask everyone to give us the opportunity to earn more of their business for golf merchandise you plan on buying or food and drinks in the restaurant. Every dollar you spend at The Country Club, goes right back into the Club in some shape or form. Help us make The Country Club better. Thank you for your continued support.

## **Golfers Please**

### **TAKE CARE OF YOUR COURSE**

Fix ball marks, yours and others

Fill in your divots, yours and others

Rake the sand bunkers

Drive carts using the 90 degree rule

Keep carts off tee and green slopes

Don't drive through wet areas

Pick up your trash

Play only the holes you paid for!

Only ride in cart if you paid for it!

## **THANK YOU**

## **Call for a Tee Time**

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# On the Course with Doyle

Now we have reached the point in the Summer season that the mowing equipment is doing its best to keep up with the aggressively growing grass. Our intended weekly mowing schedule is as follows: Greens mowed daily, Collars and Approaches twice a week, Tees twice a week, Fairways twice a week, Bermuda grass rough twice a week, and Bahia rough once a week. When you add in the other daily duties such as bunker raking, changing cups, string trimming, there is little time left to focus on other projects that need attention. Another hurdle we must overcome is equipment failure. Even the best or newest machines are not exempt from this problem. Our equipment is operating in high temperatures and not to mention this is not the smoothest of golf courses which really creates a problem with bearings on our reel mowers. The rough is the worst area of the course. No irrigation leads to dusty conditions which gives the mower a good sandblasting daily and destroys a set of blades in no time. When you add these factors with aged equipment it turns into quite the challenge during the summer months, therefore I am pleased to announce that Mr. Travis Green is now our Equipment Technician as well as Assistant Golf Course Superintendent. Travis has many years in the golf industry and is a very welcome addition to our staff.

Doyle Worthington Jr.

**August 8 - The PGA Blitz**

**September 5 - Tour Championship Blitz**

**September 19 - US Open Blitz**

**October 17-18 - THE ROUNTREE**

# **Straight from Carl's Desk**

We hope everyone is healthy and remaining safe during this difficult time! We want you to know that we appreciate all of our members and guests for their continued support of The Country Club.

We need your help. We are allowed to have two players per cart once again. We know everyone has enjoyed being able to ride in a cart by yourself, but we will require everyone to ride with someone. Unfortunately, the golf course does not like it. Golf carts do more damage to the course than anything else. If you elect to ride by your self, you will have to pay the single rider surcharge of \$5. We need to reduce the amount of carts on the course, for gas usage and wear on the carts and the course as well. Thank you for your help, understanding and cooperation.

Please help Doyle out by **KEEPING THE CARTS OFF THE FAIRWAYS & GREEN SLOPES** as much as possible! Golf cart traffic causes more damage than anything else on a golf course. This is a very important time for the golf course and we need your help! We thank you for your cooperation.

When buying something from the pro shop on your account or Carl Bucks, please make sure the pro shop attendant records it properly. It is real hard for them to remember who it was that made the purchase and what it was they bought. Thank you in advance.

If you ever have an issue with something, please don't hesitate to come and see me. If I am not around, please call my cell phone, 623-2833. I always look forward to talking to all of you. We thank you for your cooperation and support.

General Manager  
Carl Ste-Marie

**October 23 - ARC North Florida**

**October 24 - Elks Club**

**November 14 - The Masters Blitz**

**Thank You for Your Continued Support**

# August 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Sunday Blitz	3 GOB	4 Ladies Day	5 Blitz GOB Dinner	6	7 GOB	8 The PGA Blitz  Ladies
9 Sunday Blitz	10 GOB	11 Ladies Day	12 Blitz GOB Dinner	13	14 GOB	15 Blitz  Ladies
16 Sunday Blitz	17 GOB	18 Ladies Day	19 Blitz GOB Dinner	20	21 GOB	22 Blitz  Ladies
23 Sunday Blitz	24 GOB	25 Ladies Day	26 Blitz GOB Dinner	27	28 GOB	29 Blitz  Ladies
30 Sunday Blitz	31 GOB	1 Ladies Day	2 Blitz GOB Dinner	3	4 GOB	5 The Tour Championship Blitz Ladies

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AT LAKE CITY

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**presented by Sandy Kishton**

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